

I would like to encourage the Commission not to pass any rule that would weaken Indiana's Telephone Privacy Act. This Act has been very effective in reducing the number of telemarketing calls that we have received (now less than 25 percent of those previously received). I see no valid reason to permit calls from businesses that I formerly did business with (one such company was formerly very troublesome), telephone companies (MCI used to be very pesky), or credit card companies (they were the most troublesome prior to our being listed on the Indiana State Attorney General's no-call list).

We very much enjoy our privacy and do not believe that ANYONE has the right to invade our privacy at home simply because they hope to do business with us.

Please do not preempt Indiana's Telephone Privacy Act.